



Docket No.: 043890-0668

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Is re Application of

Shigeo OBATA, et al.

Application No.: 10/799,748

Filed: March 15, 2004

For: FLUID BEARING MOTOR, AND DISK DRIVE MOUNTED WITH SAME

: Customer Number: 20277  
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: Confirmation Number: 2040  
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: Group Art Unit: 2834  
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: Examiner: Thanh LAM  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2005, now due to expire March 28, 2005, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on April 28, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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